## STEPS/PROCESS FOR RECEIVING CHEST X-RAY

- 1. A county Public Health Nurse ("PHN") is assigned to the case and will coordinate care.
- 2. PHN will fill out the X-ray Request Form, determine if child has insurance, and refer child to PCMC for chest x-ray.
- An appointment does not need to be scheduled beforehand; child and parent/legal guardian can go directly to PCMC.
- 4. Child and parent/legal guardian must go to the Outpatient Registration desk first to register. The Outpatient Registration desk is on the first floor of the hospital, just inside the South entrance.
- 5. Please bring the X-Ray Request form and present it to the admitting staff at PCMC's Outpatient Registration desk.
- 6. The hours for Outpatient Registration are 6:00AM 5:30PM, Monday through Friday. If child and parent/legal guardian show up after hours or on weekends, there will be a sign at the Outpatient Registration area that will direct you to another location to register.
- 7. The admitting staff will collect some basic information: home and business addresses, parents and child's birth date, telephone numbers, and any insurance information. **If child has insurance**, **please bring insurance card** so we can take a copy of it and bill the insurance company.
- 8. Parent/legal guardian will be asked to sign consent forms.
- 9. Once this information has been collected, child and parent/legal guardian will proceed to the Medical Imaging/X-ray Department, located on the first floor (down the hall from the Outpatient Registration area). The Medical Imaging/X-ray Department is open 24 hours/day, 7 days/week.
- 10. At the Medical Imaging/X-ray Department, hand the X-ray Request Form to the staff.
- 11. The appropriate chest x-ray will be given. Family does not need to wait for the results.
- 12. Within 24 hours, the test results will be faxed to the county PHN at the number identified on the X-ray Request Form. If the chest x-ray is abnormal, the county PHN will be contacted by phone as well as the test results faxed over.

## STEPS/PROCESS FOR BILLING

- 1. If there is insurance, PCMC and Pediatric Radiology will bill insurance company for reimbursement. The TB Control Program will be billed as secondary.
- 2. If there is no insurance, PCMC will submit a UB92 for facility charges and Pediatric Radiology will submit a HCFA 1500 for physician charges to the following address:

Utah Department of Health

TB Control / Refugee Health

Attn: Cristie Chesler

288 North 1460 West

Box 142105

Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-2105

- 3. When billing, PCMC and Pediatric Radiology should use Dr. K. Krow Ampofo (the Program's current pediatric medical director) as the referring physician.
- 4. Individual bills (not monthly) will be submitted for each child that receives a chest x-ray.
- 5. PCMC will bill the full amount. The Health Department must take the agreed upon discount from the total billed charges.
- 6. Pediatric Radiology will bill the discounted amount. The Health Department will pay full billed charges.
- 7. Payment must be received within 45 days of receipt of the claim. The Health Department can either pay these claims individually or collectively on a monthly basis.
- 8. Payment must be submitted to the following address w/ an explanation.

For PCMC (facility charges): For Pediatric Radiology (physician charges):

IHC Pediatric Radiology, P.C.

P.O. Box 30180 2319 South Foothill Blvd, Suite 275

SLC, UT 84130 SLC, UT 84109

9. The explanation must have the following information: PCMC Account Number, Patient Name, Date of Service, Amount paid.

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